

MONTANA LEGISLATIVE HISTORY

Chapter 192 1965

Bill H 473 S _____ Original bill & history C

H. Committee on Affairs of Cities

S. Committee on Local Gov.

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Did this bill originate in an interim committee? Yes No

Committee _____

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COMMITTEE ON AFFAIRS OF CITIES - 1965

	Date	1-5	1-12		1-19	1-22	1-26	1-28	1-29	1-30	2-2	2-7	2-11	2-16	2-19	2-26	2-18
Tracy	P	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	
Willits	P	A	p	p	p	D	p	p	pp	p	p	p	p	p		p	
Slaby	P	p	p	p	p	p	p	a	p	p	p	p	pa	p	p	p	
Schepens	P	p	pp	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	e	a	p	p	p	p	
Gerke	P	p	p	pp	p	p	p	p	p	e	d	p	c	p	p	p	
Bollinger	A	p	a	p	p	M	a	p	a	ap	p	p	p	p	p	p	
Lewis	A	p	p	p	p	p	p	a	dp	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	
Cregg	A	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	pa	a	p	p	p	p	cp	p	
Obstarczyk	P	p	p	pp	p	a	dp	a	p	a		a	p	p	p	p	
Jensen	P	p	p	pp	p	p	p	p	dp	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	
Crum	P	p	p	pp	p	p	p	p	da	a		a	a	a	p		
Selstad	P	dp	p	p	p	dp	p	E?	p	p	p	p	c	p	p	p	
Casey	P	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	a	p	p	p	a	p	a	p	
Lund	P	p	p	p	a	pp	p	a	a	p	p	a	a	a			
Dye	P	p	p	p	p	dp	a	pe	a	a	p	p	p	p	p	p	

AFFAIRS OF CITIES
February 2, 1965

The meeting of the Affairs of Cities Committee was called to order by Mr. Tracy, Chairman, on February 2.

Roll call was taken with 10 present and five absent.

Mr. Bollinger moved that House Bill 236 Do Pass and it was seconded by Mr. Schepens.

Proponents of House Bill 254 were Mr. McNamara and Mr. Babson. Mr. McNamara said this bill concerns building a second story on our parking lot on Jackson Street. Mr. Babson said the merchants borrow the money to build the lots. The lots belong to the people of Helena. Another proponent of this bill was Mr. W. J. Leary. He said we should put another deck on this lot. The present entrance is off Jackson Street.

The visitors were excused.

Mr. Schepens moved that House Bill 254 Do Pass and it was seconded by Mr. Bollinger. Motion carried.

Mr. Slaby is in favor of House Bill 473. He said there are a lot of cars sitting around on the streets especially in the smaller towns that we must move. We feel by placing a tax on these cars they will want to dispose of them or pay the property tax.

Mr. Jensen moved that House Bill 473 Do Pass and it was seconded by Mr. Slaby. Motion carried.

Mr. Casey moved that Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 Do Pass and it was seconded by Mr. Lund. Motion carried.

The sub-committee on House Bill 453 are Mr. Bollinger, Mr. Obstarczyk and Mr. Jensen.

The sub-committee on House Bill 450 are Mr. Gerke, Mr. Slaby and Mr. Selstad. They will also include along with House Bill 450, House Bill 417, 418 and 419.

The meeting was adjourned.

Donna Capps, Secretary

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COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

BILL NO.	ENTERED COMM.	OUT OF COMM.	DO PASS	DO NOT PASS	DO PASS AS AMENDED	BE CON- CURRED IN	BE NOT CON- CURRED IN
H.B. 144	2-4	2-4				L	
H.B. 111	2-4	2-4				L	
H.B. 281	2-6	2-6				L	
H.B. 152	2-9	2-11				L	
H.B. 371	2-11	2-11			L		
H.B. 254	2-11	2-11				L	
H.B. 174	2-13	2-13				L	
H.B. 60	2-13	2-16			L		
H.B. 223	2-16	2-16				L	
H.B. 361	2-16	2-16				L	
H.B. 368	2-16	2-16				L	
H.J.R. 33		2-16				L	
H.B. 300	2-18	2-20					L
H.B. 301	2-18	2-20					L
H.B. 417	2-20	2-20				L	
H.B. 178	2-20	2-20				L	
H.B. 473	2-20	2-20				L	
H.B. 450	2-20	2-20			L		

February 20, 1965

COMMITTEE ON
LOCAL GOVERNMENT

The Committee on Local Government was called to order at Recess with a quorum present. The bills considered were as follows:

CONSIDERATION OF H.B. NO. 178 , levy of assessment on taxable real property by Board of County Commissioners for expenses of soil conservation districts. Rep. Elmer A. Ecklund and Keith Williams appeared in favor of this bill. There were no opponents. This bill was concurred in.

CONSIDERATION OF H.B. NO. 450 providing for city-county planning boards. Proponents appearing for this bill were: Rep. Healy; Bill Geagan, attorney at law from Butte; Mayor Tom Powers from Butte. The motion was made, seconded, and carried that this bill be amended. The motion was made, seconded, and carried that this bill be concurred in.

CONSIDERATION OF H.B. NO. 417 AND H.B. NO. 419 relating to city-county planning boards and to conducting projects outside jurisdictional area. Proponents appearing for these bills were Mr. Roberts and George Graham . It was moved, seconded and carried that both of these bills be concurred in.

CONSIDERATION OF H.B. NO. 418 relating to jurisdictional area of city-county planning. Proponents appearing for this bill were Mr. Roberts, Carl Seltzer, and George Graham. It was decided to hold this bill further for more study.

CONSIDERATION OF H.B. NO. 473 , allowing cities and towns to tax certain motor vehicles and motor vehicles bodies. There were no proponents or opponents appearing for this bill. The motion was made, seconded and carried that this bill be concurred in.

CONSIDERATION OF H.B. NO. 236 The Committee felt this bill, providing for payments for motor vehicle insurance premium tax to cities having police departments. should be referred to the Committee on Finance and Claims.

CONSIDERATION OF H.B. NO. 429 relating to special improvement districts for building and constructing recreation facilities. The motion was made and carried that this bill be put in sub-committee with Senator Brenner.

CONSIDERATION OF H.B. NO. 300 AND 301 These two bills returned from the sub-committee were given be not concurred in status.

There being no further business adjournment was in order.

Goodwin Chairman
Senator Goodwin

Unlicensed
practice forbidden.

"No person shall practice veterinary medicine or veterinary surgery, or farriery, in the state of Montana unless licensed by the state board of veterinary medical examiners of the state of Montana, and registered as required by this chapter; nor shall any person practice veterinary medicine, surgery, or farriery, whose authority to practice is suspended or revoked by said board."

Exclusions.

Section 2. Nothing in this act shall in any way be construed to prohibit the pregnancy testing by any person of his own farm animals or by his employees regularly employed in the conduct of his business, or by other persons whose services are rendered gratuitously.

Saving clause.

Section 3. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as modifying, amending, altering, or repealing any part of section 66-2211 of the R. C. M. of 1947.

Approved March 4, 1965.

CHAPTER 192

An Act Allowing Cities and Towns to Tax Certain Motor Vehicle Bodies; and Amending Section 11-918, R. C. M. 1947.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

Amending clause.

Section 1. Section 11-918, R. C. M. 1947, is amended to read as follows:

Power of city
or town council.

"11-918. The city or town council has power: To license, tax, and regulate auctioneers, peddlers, pawnbrokers, second-hand and junk shops: *motor vehicles and motor vehicle bodies, except those on commercial property, which are not otherwise taxed:* drivers, porters, pool halls and soft drink parlors, billiard tables, tenpin alleys, shooting galleries, shows, circuses, street parades, theatrical performances, and places of amusements within the city or town; provided, that the power to license, tax, and regulate circuses and shows of like character shall extend three miles beyond the limits of the city or town."

Approved March 4, 1965.

CHAPTER 193

An Act Relating to Taxation of Irrigation and Drainage Facilities.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

Section 1. All irrigation and drainage facilities including bonds, rights of way, ditches, flumes, pipelines, dams, water rights, reservoirs and other property of like character shall be taxed as like facilities of the federal and state government; in cases where property taxes apply, and where an increase in land value results, such facilities shall be taxed as such land is improved, and such land shall be classified for tax purposes as the tax classification law provides.

Taxation of
irrigation and
drainage facilities.

Approved March 4, 1965.

CHAPTER 194

An Act to Amend Section 10-524, Revised Codes of Montana, 1947, Relating to the Circumstances Under Which the State Will Help Aid Dependent and Neglected Children by Including State Payments for Children in Licensed Private Institutions; and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

Section 1. Section 10-524, R. C. M. 1947, is amended to read as follows:

Amending clause.

"10-524. **Payment for board and room of dependent and neglected children—reimbursement by county.** Whenever agreements are entered into by the department of public welfare for placing dependent and neglected children in approved family foster homes or licensed private institutions, it shall be the duty of the state department to pay by its check or draft, each month, from any funds appropriated for that purpose, the entire amount agreed upon for board and room of such children.

Payment of board
and room of de-
pendent and
neglected children
—reimbursement
by county.

On or before the twentieth of each month the state department shall present a claim to the county of residence of such children for one-half the payments so made during the month. The county must make reimbursement